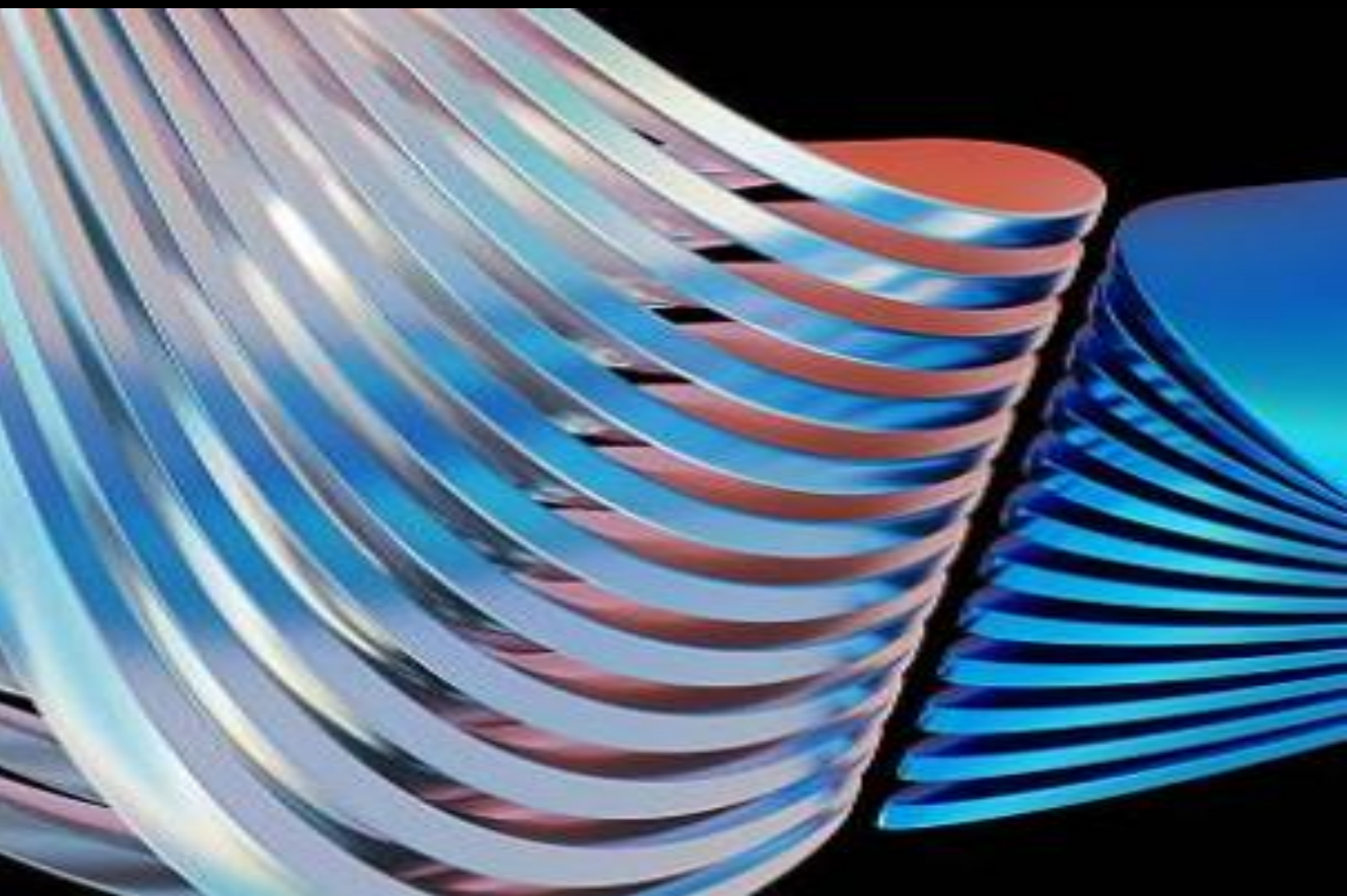
April 19

Joshua 24:15,
1 Kings 18:21

“CHOICES: Good, Bad, In-between”



Joshua 24:15

And if it seem evil unto you to serve the LORD, choose you this day whom ye will serve; whether the gods which your fathers served that were on the other side of the flood, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land ye dwell: but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD.

1 Kings 18:21

And Elijah came unto all the people, and said, How long

halt ye between two opinions? if the LORD be God, follow him: but if Baal, then follow him. And the people answered him not a word.

Matthew 6:21-24

21 For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also.
22 The light of the body is the eye: if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light. 23 But if thine eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness. If therefore the light that is in

thee be darkness, how great is that darkness! 24 No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon.

James 1:6, 8

6 But let him ask in faith, nothing wavering. For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed. 8 A double minded man is unstable in all his ways.

Ecclesiasticus 15:16-17

16 He hath set fire and water before thee: stretch forth thy hand unto whether thou wilt. 17 Before man is life and death, and whether him liketh shall be given him.

Think About It

What are some important decisions with which you have been faced?

What choices did you make and why?

Does every person have the same choices or options in life?

How significant are choices?

Are there choices which could have lasting effects on life,

future generations, the course of history, or even eternity?

Can choices affect happiness? Could one bad or harmful choice affect the ability, or loss of ability, to make other choices?

Is there always a clear right and wrong choice

or are there sometimes only bad, good, better, and best choices—or decisions one makes based on available choices or options?